nics industry, the Challiah Committee in its Anal report (Part II) have re- ; commended import duy at the rate of 20 per cent on raw materials and capital goods including projects imports, and 30 per cent on piece parts, components, sub-assemblyj equipments and instruments and apparatus by the year 1997-98. It is seen from the said report that Electronic Component In- dustries Association (ELCINA) had submitted a memorandum and gave evidence before the Tax Reforms Committee. In February '93 ELCINA have issued certain reports in press differing with the above said recom- mendations of Tax Reforms Committee In the 1999-94 Budget, the ina-port duty on specified raw materials for electronics industry has been reduced to 20 per cent adyalorem (from 40 per cent).

(to) Does not arise, since the import duty structure recommended by the Tax Reforms Committee as in (a) above is for the year 1997-98.

Leakage of Budget proposals

2542. SHRI KAMAL MORARKA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Economic Times dated the 11th February, 1993 carried a portion of pre-budget Economic Survey; and

(b) if so, how this information was made public before- the document was placed on the Table of the House?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. ABRAR AHMED): (a) and (b) The Economic Times dated 11th February 1993 had carried a story which appears to correspond, in some respects, with some of the earlier discussion papers prepared in the Economic Division of the Department of Economic Affairs and circulated among the various Ministries for comments before the Economic Survey is anally araited. The pubiisnea story consisted of data and facts which were already available from puDlished sources and is suostanuaily different from the Ecnomic Survey placed on the Table of the House on 23 February 1993. The Economic Survey is not part of the Budgei documents.

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2343. DR. BAPU KALDATE;
SHRI VISHWASRAO RAMRAO PATIL;

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Bombay Stock Exchange is now- free to issue advertisements for business purposes;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what steps Government propose to take against those who misuse the guidelines in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (DR. ABRAR AHMED): (a) Bombay Stock Exchange has recently amended its Byelaw 358 (xi) with the approval of SEBI according to which the members of the Exchange may issue advertisements for business par-poses subject to safeguards and limitations as provided in the relative Regulation of the Exchange or such other guidelines as the Governing Board may prescribe from time to time.

(b) The Regulation, inter alia, provides for the following:

(i) The contents of the advertisement, brochures, etc. should be related only to the nature of ser-vices that the members can offer